

PATENT APPLICATION

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In response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

1. (Amended) A surface illuminant comprising a light source, a light guide plate having opposed sides which is optically coupled to said light source for emitting light incident from said light source through one opposed side thereof and a reflection film which is disposed on the other opposed side of said light guide plate, wherein a wave length converting material is applied on said reflective film.

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